

A Proposition for an ample Equivalent for the Intended Duties on Wines, which will be ruinous to all the Traders and dealers therein; abating his Majesties Customs near as much as it will raise in this Duty; be destructive to the Navigation, and a means to prohibit our Woollen Manufactures and Fishery in *Spain* and *Portugal*, which Consume near one half of all the Woollen Manufactures that are exported.

1. That every Tun of Wine Imported pay by the Importor 5 *l.* per Tun more then the present duties, in ready Mony, which after the rate of 16000 Tunns will amount unto 80000 *l.*

2. Lead to pay 20 *s.* per Fother at the Mines, and draw back 10 *s.* upon Exportation 60000 *l.*

3. Tobacco Consumed in *Ireland* pays now but 3 *d.* per pound; let it pay as much as Tobacco Consumed in *England*, because it cannot be brought into *Ireland* any otherway then from *England*, and being once Imported there, cannot be exported again 30000 *l.*

170000 *l.*

A Proposition for an Equivalent for the Intended Duty of 12 *l.* 12 *per* Tun upon Wines, which will not only hinder the Importation of them, and so lessen that Revenue on which there are Loans, and in Consequence the Credit of the Exchequer; But prove destructive to the present Traders therein, both Merchants and Vintners, very much abate the Exportation of woollen Manufactory, and our Navigation.

4. It is therefore Humbly proposed that the subsidy of Tunnage and Poundage Inwards may rather be Augmented and Encreased to half as much more then now it pays: (which it is Humbly Conceived, will be an Ample Equivalent) whereby all Merchandise will bear its Proportion, and Raise the Mony more Certain without Making more Officers, or any Addition of Charge for Collecting, And may be Comprehended In a very short Act.

It is Humbly offered to this Honourable House, to accept of Either these Equivalents, or Out of Both these Proposals, to take such Parts of them, and to add unto or Diminish from them, as to their great Wisdom shall seem Meet.

Equivalent for the
Intended Wine Du-
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